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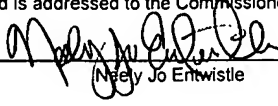
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Stephane FOLLONIER et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1641
	)	
Application No.: 10/670,912	)	Examiner: Nelson C. YANG
	)	
Filed: September 24, 2003	)	
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For: DEVICE, SYSTEM AND METHOD OF	)	Confirmation No.: 6522
DETECTING TARGETS IN A FLUID	)	
SAMPLE	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

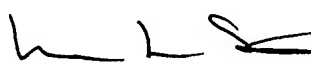
**PETITION FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of March 17, 2006. Please charge the small entity fee of \$60.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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